

The Bloomfield Rec'd.
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S. MORSE HULIN,
PUBLISHER AND PROPRIETOR.**LOCAL BREVIETIES.**

A child's rocker given away with one pound of tea or baking powder at S. Scherer & Co's.

Theodore Cadmus has been granted a pension from the Government.

William Batchelor is building a new house on Pitt Street.

Mr. Lambert is having a new house erected on North Thomas Street.

A new house is to be built on Mill Street. Ground has been broken.

The Public Schools will be closed next week for the annual spring vacation.

Town Committeeman Gilbert has recovered from his recent severe illness.

A son of Louis Richards, residing on Franklin Hill, swallowed a pin on Saturday.

The Cosmos Club had a reception and dance in Central Hall on Wednesday night.

Miss Letia Camp of Broad Street is spending a few weeks with relatives at Saratoga, N. Y.

A large addition is being built to the residence of W. M. Brokaw at Brookdale.

The roadway on Upper Broad Street has been improved with a covering of broken stone.

The Legislature expects to adjourn next Wednesday, March 31st.

The Township Committee held a special meeting on Monday night and approved the bonds of Foremaster Cadmus.

The engagement is announced of Miss Annie Peterson, daughter of Assessor George Peterson, and Frederick Dahl of Belmont Street.

A surprise party was tendered to George Crawley at his home on Ridgewood Avenue during the week in honor of his birthday.

Chicken thieves are again busy in Brookdale. A number of fowls were stolen from the henry of Alexander Parsons.

The annual town meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, April 6th, to pass upon the appropriations recommended by the Committee.

Engineer Garrison of the New York and Greenwood Lake Railroad, and family have moved into Mrs. Newport's house on Spruce Street.

The work of grading for the double track on the New York and Greenwood Lake Railroad has been begun near the Orchard Station.

Burglars effected an entrance to the residence of Herman Blaschke on Baldwin Street early Tuesday morning. After partaking of a hearty meal the thieves carried away a suit of clothes and a pocket book containing ten cents.

Rev. Henry W. Seibert, pastor of the German Presbyterian Church, has gone to New Hampshire to spend a few weeks and enjoy a much needed rest since the old church has been remodeled.

Rev. R. M. Aylsworth will preach his farewell sermon in the Park M. E. Church Sunday, April 11th. The annual meeting of this church for the election of three trustees will be held next Monday night.

It is said that Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristol will re-appoint Postmaster Day of Brookdale for a full term of four years. The applicants for this office are not so many.

The building No. 23 Broad Street, formerly occupied by Charles Clark as a grocery store, has been rented by F. C. Bucher, the Glenwood Avenue baker. An oven is being put up and all arrangements completed for a first class bakery to be completed about May 1st.

All members of Eureka Lodge No. 46, Knights of Pythias, are requested to be present next Tuesday night to rehearse for the memorial service to be held on Tuesday evening, April 13th.

Lawrence Wallace of 570 Bloomfield Avenue was arrested on Tuesday night by officer Hummel for disorderly conduct and attempting to beat his sister. He was taken to the Police station. Justice Hall sentenced him to the Penitentiary at Caldwell for six months.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G. E. Mohrman have issued invitations to the wedding of their daughter, Miss Ross Mohrman, and Alfred T. Hibbert. The ceremony is to take place on Tuesday, April 6th, at the home of the bride's parents, No. 75 Newark Avenue.

The Bloomfield Board of Education organized on Monday night. Thomas Oakes was elected President and W. A. Baldwin District Clerk. President Oakes appointed the following standing committees: Teachers, Chas. L. Seiber and F. R. Flitch; Supplies, W. A. Baldwin and Thomas Oakes; Buildings, E. A. Smith and George W. Panceo.

Frank Katzenmeyer and his brother were playing with a hatchet at the residence of Chas. Grishaber on Bellevue Avenue on Tuesday afternoon. During the game the small ax slipped and cut the hand of little Katie Hambach and cut off part of her finger. Medical aid was summoned and it required several stitches to sew up the wound.

Funeral services of the late C. L. Voorhees were held last Sunday afternoon at his residence, No. 19 Linden Avenue, conducted by the Rev. G. A. Paul of the Westminster Church. The members of Eureka Lodge, Knights of Pythias, Excelsior Lodge, Knights of Honor, William S. Pierson Post, G. A. R. and Essex Hook and Ladder Company attended in a body. Each organization sent a beautiful floral piece. Undertaker Keyler took the body to North Branch for interment on Monday.

The Misses Madison gave a card party last Saturday night.

The Madrigal Society will give its next concert on Wednesday evening, April 28th.

Rev. Harris E. Adriance of New York will occupy the pulpit of the Old Church next Sabbath morning.

Charles Bailey has contracted for the erection of a new house on Benson Street adjoining that of Theodore Mix.

Preparations are on foot for the opening of a new road through the Benson and Collingwood property, which will directly connect Osborne Street with Chestnut Hill station.

The Epworth League of the Wesleyan Methodist Church will hold a birthday social in the church parlor to-night.

Willing Cadmus was elected financial agent of Excelsior Lodge, Knights of Honor, on Wednesday night to succeed the late Cornelius L. Voorhees.

The Righter bill, which repeals the present school law and provides for a return to the old district system, after a long discussion over the measure, was defeated in the House on Wednesday by a vote of 6 to 37. The taxpayers of Brookdale would prefer a return to the old plan.

John Rawson of James Street was considerably annoyed about the disappearance of a number of choice pigeons and chickens which were taken by rats. To exterminate them he purchased "Rough on Rats" and distributed it about the henry. The chickens drank the poison water and died in a short time.

M. W. Boyle, the jeweler of No. 10 Broad Street, usually leaves a kerosene lamp in his store during the night for protection against burglars. On Monday night the lamp exploded.

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Glen Ridge Notes.

The engagement is announced of Miss Emily Breedon of Ridgewood Avenue and Graham King of Bellevue Avenue, Bloomfield.

Bishop Starkey administered the rite of confirmation last Sunday morning in Christ Episcopal Church to a class of twenty-two.

Mr. and Mrs. Bouland and son, of Hillside Avenue, go to Maryland next week, and expect to stay about two weeks.

The Ladies' Vocal Club have made arrangements to give their next concert on Tuesday evening, April 20th, at the Congregational Church.

Mrs. Louise Smith and Miss Emily New York, who have been the guests of Mrs. George W. Panceo on Linden Avenue, Glen Ridge, have returned to New York.

Cards have been issued for the wedding of Miss Jenette L. Cory, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Cory, to Harry W. Benson, both of Glen Ridge.

On the ceremony to take place at the home of the bride, 928 Bloomfield Avenue, next Thursday, April 1st.

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Extraordinary.

Be sure that you see Mr. Edison's most extraordinary invention, the wonderful projectoscope, which represents scenes at the astonishing rate of several hundred a second. This is done by electricity and gives the observer the impression that what he sees is actually alive and in motion. No one who has not seen the projectoscope can realize the vividness of the effect. The Mountain-side Hospital.

The Annual election of Township officers will be held on Tuesday, April 13th, at the following places: First Ward, First District, Schneider's barbershop, 31 Broad Street; First Ward, Second District, Svenson's grocery store corner Bloomfield Avenue and Orange Street; Second Ward, Excelsior Hose House, 379 Broad Street; Third Ward, First District, Dodd's Hall, Glenwood Avenue; Third Ward, Second District, Active Hose House, 26 Willow Street.

The following named officers are to be voted for: A Committeeman-at-large, one Committeeman from each of the First, Second and Third Wards, a Collector of taxes, Town Clerk, Overseer of the Poor, two Constables, two Surveyors of Highways, one Commissioner of Appeals for three years and the appropriations.

A special meeting of the Bloomfield Township Committee was held last Saturday afternoon. All members were present except Mr. Gilbert who was sick. Thomas Cadmus of the Third Ward was appointed Overseer of the Poor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of C. L. Voorhees, on the second ballot.

There were three candidates: Messrs. Fisher and Haskell nominated Adam Luid of the Second Ward; Mr. Foster nominated William Hoffman, and Mr. Powers named Thomas Cadmus. Mr. Lawrence voted for the last named, Mr. Foster withdrew the name of Hoffman and endorsed Cadmus. The motion was then made unanimous.

Young People's Guild.

On Tuesday evening the Young People's Guild of the Presbyterian Church, had for its fortnightly entertainment a choral talk by Mr. Dan Beard of New York.

The room was full when the artist appeared before his easel and responded to the introduction to the audience given by the president, Mr. Ward.

He gracefully prefaced his remarks by enumerating the different titles which he leaves at home and on his travels which were calculated to amuse the audience and prepare it to appreciate the dry humor which prompted the speaker's accompaniment of the following sketches:

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